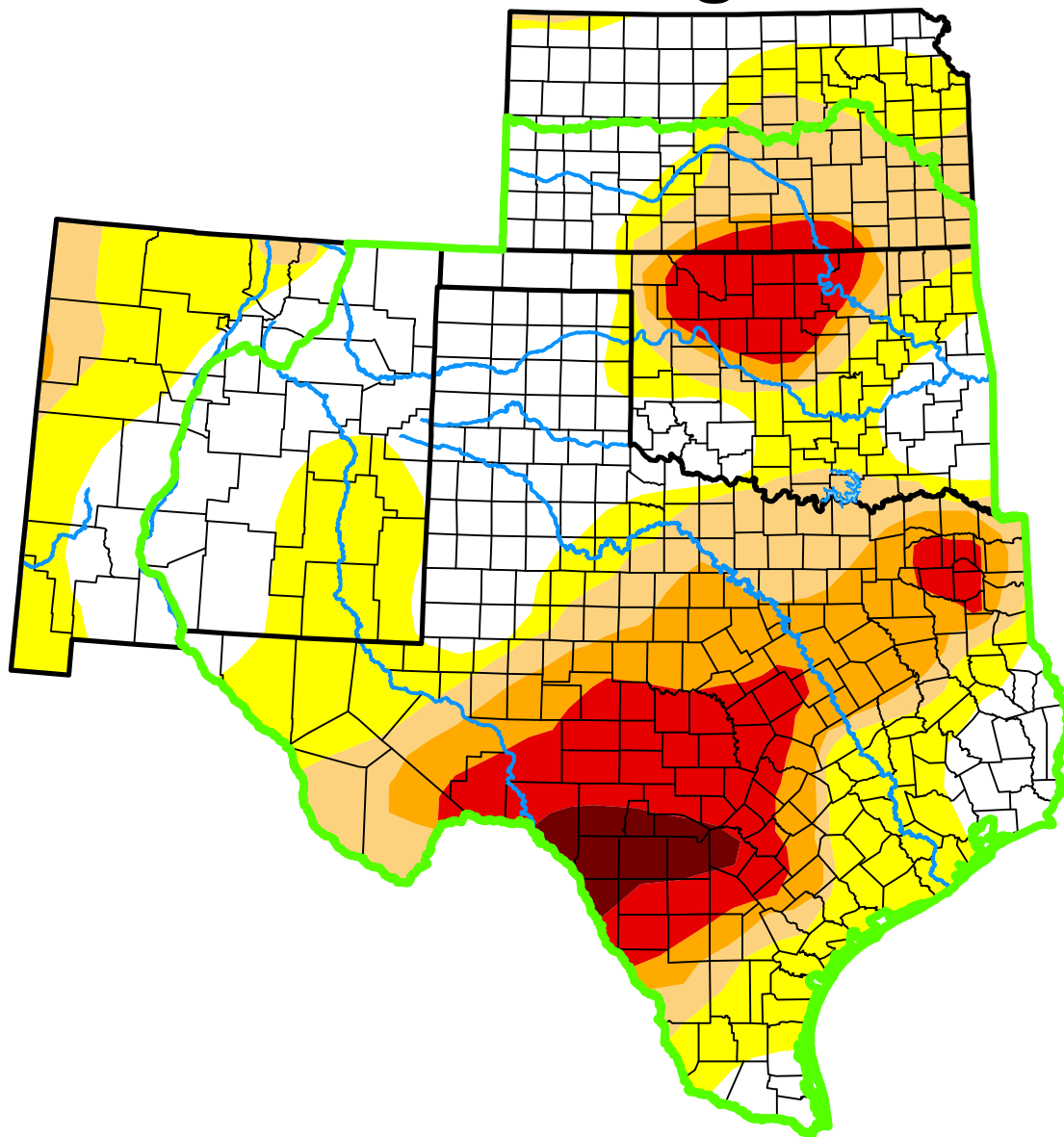


U.S. Drought Monitor

Southern Plains DEWS

and Surrounding Areas



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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	32.44	67.56	44.15	27.70	15.09	2.27
Last Week <i>12-26-2006</i>	26.17	73.83	48.18	29.55	14.58	3.27
3 Months Ago <i>10-03-2006</i>	31.38	68.62	53.55	34.06	15.49	0.99
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-02-2007</i>	32.44	67.56	44.15	27.70	15.09	2.27
Start of Water Year <i>09-26-2006</i>	31.25	68.75	53.55	33.77	14.85	0.99
One Year Ago <i>01-03-2006</i>	15.99	84.01	53.49	30.01	14.62	3.40

(Statistics for area highlighted in green)

Intensity:

None	D2 Severe Drought
D0 Abnormally Dry	D3 Extreme Drought
D1 Moderate Drought	D4 Exceptional Drought

The Drought Monitor focuses on broad-scale conditions. Local conditions may vary. For more information on the Drought Monitor, go to <https://droughtmonitor.unl.edu/About.aspx>

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